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Program Objectives

- Focus on multimodal priorities established by the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) through VTrans Mid-Term Needs
- Streamline project planning and improve project readiness
 - Ensure needs are understood before offering solutions
- Identify investment strategies that solve more problems with limited state transportation funds and resources
- Standardize performance-oriented and multidisciplinary approach
- Develop and refine tools that make use of powerful data and improve collaboration

____VTrans needs

Bicycle Access Reliability

IEDA Access

Capacity Preservation

Congestion Mitigation

Safety Improvement

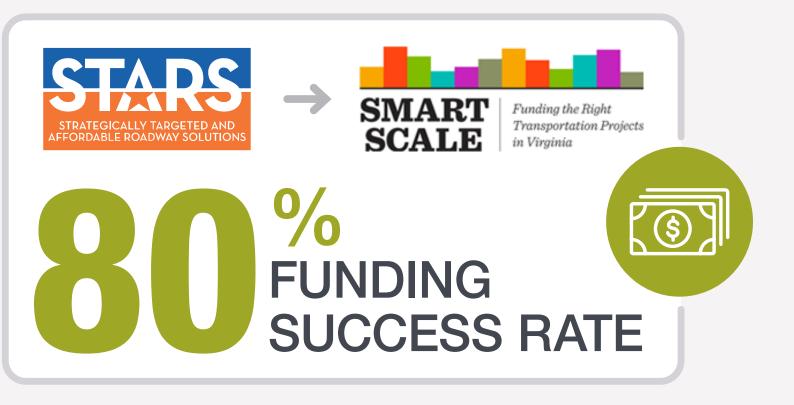
Pedestrian Safety

Improvement

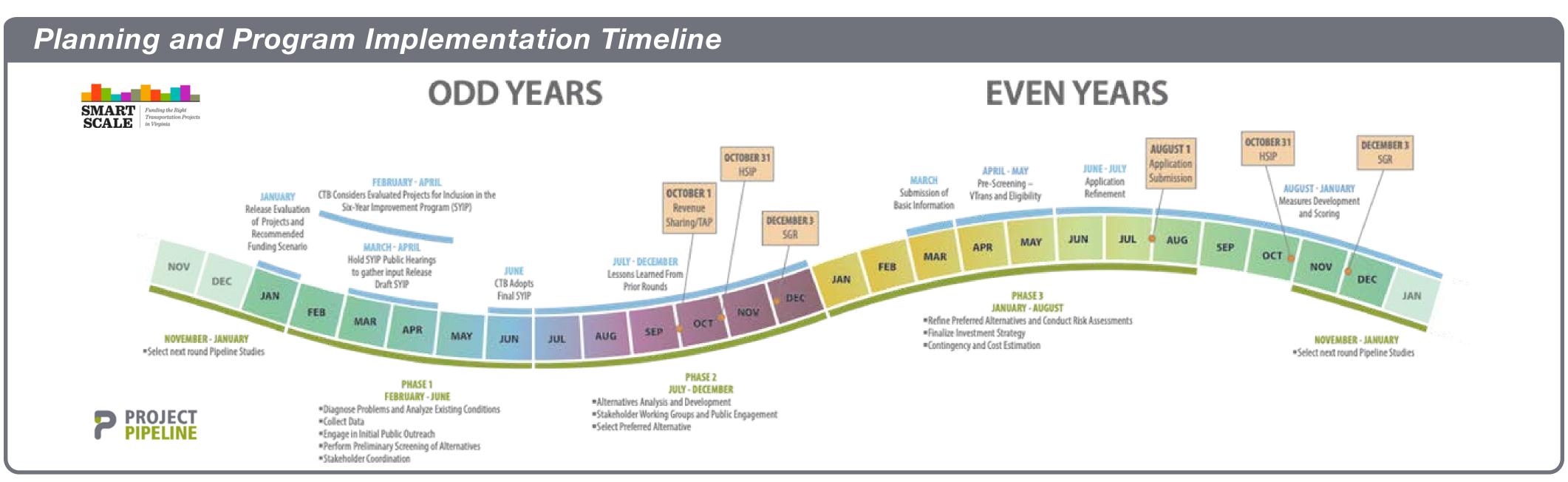
- Pedestrian Access Rail On-time Performance
 - Transportation
 Demand Management
 - Transit Access
 - Transit Access for Equity emphasis area

Project Pipeline is modeled after and builds on the success of the Strategically Targeted Affordable Roadway Solutions (STARS) program that VDOT has administered since 2007.

- STARS recommendations submitted in SMART SCALE have had an 80% funding success rate
- VTrans priority locations are identified based on overlap of multiple need categories







Program Implementation

- Conduct Studies addressing Priority 1 & 2 locations to feed SMART SCALE Round 5 and other funding programs (Revenue Sharing, Transportation Alternatives Program, etc.)
- Approximate timeline of 12 months start to finish
- Leverage current funding levels to accomplish

Study Selection Process Development Process

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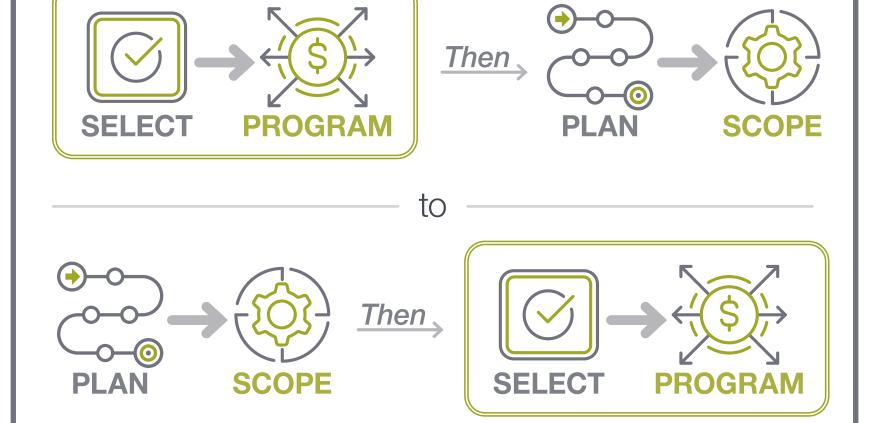
- VTrans Priority 1 needs
- Presence of unfunded, highbenefit SMART SCALE projects
- CTB member concurrence

Excludes study locations from consideration with:

- Funded projects
- Ongoing STARS studies and Arterial Management Plans

Adapted Process, Better Outcomes

Process has changed from:



Example outcomes:

- Innovative intersection improvements
- Pedestrian and bicycle facilities
- Safety improvements
- Transit access improvements





